AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

-- CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application claims priorities under 35 U.S.C. §119 to German Application No. 102 53 099.8 filed November 13, 2002, and under 35 U.S.C. §371 to PCT Application No. PCT/CH03/00668 filed as an International Application on October 14, 2003 designating the U.S., the entire contents of which are hereby incorporated by reference in their entireties.

BACKGROUND--

Lines 3-5, please amend as follows:

The invention relates to a roll peeler, particularly a roll peeler for cereals, preferably a rubber roll peeler for peeling rice and other cereals, which especially the raw grain peels are taken out with, as per the title of the patent claim 1.

Page 2, before line 1, please insert:

--SUMMARY--

Page 2, lines 1-4, please amend as follows:

The invention avoids the disadvantages of the state-of-the-art technology and increases the feeding capacity of roll peelers providing in addition a reduced risk of grain breakage. The task is solved with the distinctive characteristics of the patent claim 1.

Page 3, line 15, please insert:

--BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWING-

line 19, please insert:

-- DETAILED DESCRIPTION—

Page 5, after line 3, please insert the following:

--It will be appreciated by those skilled in the art that the present invention can be embodied in other specific forms without departing from the spirit or essential characteristics thereof. The presently disclosed embodiments are therefore considered in all respects to be illustrative and not restricted. The scope of the invention is indicated by the appended claims rather than the foregoing description and all changes that come within the meaning and range and equivalence thereof are intended to be embraced therein.—

Page 6, please delete in its entirety.